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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Responsive to Paper No. 9, dated October 22, 2003, please accept the following statement regarding the substance of the telephonic interview between Examiner Pierre M. Vital and James E. Harris, initiated by Examiner Vital on October 9, 2003.

No exhibits or demonstrations were conducted, no prior art was discussed, and no amendments of a substantive nature were discussed. The Examiner proposed minor changes to claims 4, 9, and 13, and the abstract to correct informalities. The Examiner and Applicant's Attorney were in general agreement, and thus there was no argument presented or pursued. The Examiner prepared an Examiner's Amendment incorporating the changes agreed upon.

Respectfully submitted,

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